AESD Third Grade Instructional Minutes Total Instruction = 264 minutes (45 minutes early dismissal day)

Reading/Language Arts

Core Reading Wonders

In addition, the Core Science and Social Studies materials may be utilized for instruction in reading

150 minutes

Reading

(Phonics/Decoding, Fluency, Informational Text and Literature Comprehension Skills, Comprehension Strategies)

Writing

(Write Everyday, Shared Writing, Writing Traits, and Writer's Workspace)

Speaking and Listening

(Collaborative Conversations, Presentation, and Active Listening)

Language

(Grammar, Punctuation and Mechanics, Spelling, Vocabulary Acquisition, and Word Knowledge)

Small Group

(Differentiated Instruction, Independent Work, and Activity Cards)

Technology

(Integrate use of technology, Students using technology)

Social Studies and Science materials may be used to teach, practice, and apply reading comprehension, writing, and vocabulary skills and concepts.

Mathematics

Core Go Math!

*75 minutes

Core Math

All students must be provided access to the core and the time must be protected from interruptions.

Small group instruction

Technology - Go Math! and Math Facts in a Flash

ELD, Intervention and Enrichment Instructional Block

*39 minutes

ELD or Intervention and Enrichment Instructional Block

Students will participate in either ELD or Intervention/Enrichment

ELD

Students will be scheduled into groups based on the following 3 criterions:

- 1. English language proficiency level
- 2. Identified skill needs
- 3. Performance level

Intervention/Enrichment

Students in Intervention will be provided differentiated targeted learning/enrichment opportunities based on assessment data results and identified area of needs. Enrichment students will work on practice and apply activities such as: Accelerated Reader, Accelerated Math, writing, science or social studies projects, and technology.

^{*}Notes a change in instructional minutes from previous year